

CAMERON FOR CONGRESS

Former Governor and Member Constitutional Convention Will be Candidate.

MEDAL FOR A HEROINE

Mr. Gillette Presents a Medal to Little Nine-Year-Old Girl Who Saved Companion's Life.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., April 30.—Although Governor Cameron has made no statement in regard to his candidacy for Congress from this district, it can be stated positively that he has yielded to the urgent request of friends and will enter the race in due time.

His friends here look for his formal announcement in ample time for him to enter the primary soon to be held.

Mr. W. W. Gillette has presented Grace Crowder, a little girl nine years of age, with a gold medal for her heroism in saving her little friend, Gertrude Stigger, from drowning in the canal. The two little girls were playing near the canal on Fleet Street, when the little Stigger girl, eight years of age, fell into the water. She certainly would have been drowned but for her little friend, who bravely pulled her out of the water. Mr. Gillette was so impressed with the child's bravery that he presented her with a medal.

Consideration of the motion to dissolve the injunction granted in the case of G. E. Fisher, Phillip Rogers and Charles Hall Davis against the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, was resumed in the Corporation Court to-day. Judge Mullen will take the matter under consideration before rendering a decision in the case.

EXTRAVAGANCE CHARGED.
The chief points of contention in the suit as raised by the plaintiff are: Extravagance in the management of the company since the Goulds came into control.

The ignoring of outside stockholders and bondholders, and keeping them in ignorance of what is being done.

That the reported earnings showing large deficits are exaggerated for the purpose of depressing the market the price of the bonds and stock with a view of freezing out the minority holders.

TO DEPRESS STOCK.
That in furtherance of this, the management now propose to sell to the responsible parties an invalid corporation some of its most valuable assets for an adequate consideration and without any proper guarantee for its payment. These assets are the water power and its accessories, proposed to be developed along the Appomattox.

The claim is made that on this is the source from which the electric roads are to obtain the power to operate them, the electric railway company would be at the mercy of any outside corporation operating them.

MAYFIELD WITHDRAWS.
Senator Gives Up Race in Second South Carolina.

(By Associated Press.)
AUGUSTA, GA., April 30.—Senator S. C. Mayfield has withdrawn from the congressional race in the Second South Carolina District. This leaves Mr. Theodore C. Craft victorious in the race for the national House of Representatives. Mr. Mayfield's letter is as follows: "General William J. Crawford, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, Columbia, S. C.: Sir—I have this day decided to and do hereby withdraw from the race for Congress in the Second Congressional District in the second primary. By so doing I save to the people a contest for the office of the unexpired term at a time when they are exceedingly busy, and yield to my opponent, Mr. Theodore C. Craft, who has received almost a majority of all votes cast in the first primary, open field. Very respectfully, (Signed) S. C. MAYFIELD." Mr. Craft was declared the Democratic nominee and elected.

Webb-Weston.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FRIDDERICKSBURG, VA., April 30.—Webb Weston, daughter of Mount, N. C., and Miss Estelle Weston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Weston, were married at this place to-day. The bride's parents, in Matthews county, the rooms were tastefully decorated, and Miss Eva May Armstrong rendered the wedding music. Miss Susie B. Williams was maid of honor; Mr. T. C. Diggs, of Richmond, best man, and Rev. George L. T. Craft, of Richmond, officiated. The bride's mother was, before her marriage, Miss Swift, of this city. After the ceremony at the residence of the bride's parents, the party left for a trip, after which they will reside at Rocky Mount, N. C.

A Virginian's Work for Cuba.
The Walter Reed Memorial Association, which, under distinguished auspices, has filed incorporation papers in the District of Columbia, aims to perpetuate a triumph in the people of all tropical and semi-tropical climates. This was followed by the destruction of the breeding places of the pest, and since that time Cuba, which previously had been perennially scourged, has been practically free.

Walter Reed died a martyr to his

ASSAILED BY HIS BRETHREN BECAUSE HE TOLD THE TRUTH

Rev. A. McLeod, D. D., of His Detroit Presbytery Declines to Bear False Witness and Openly Challenges His Accusers.

Eminent Divine Shows That the Clerical Standing Cannot Be Questioned, and Bravely Stands by His Published Statement.

Since the announcement made some days ago to the effect that the Rev. A. McLeod, D. D., of Greenleaf, Michigan, had been cured of dyspepsia and nervous prostration by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, the Doctor has been overwhelmed with communications asking him to repudiate his letter, but he has stood bravely back of his frank and outspoken statement. Failing in this purpose, certain unscrupulous people have questioned his standing in the ministry. This attack has brought forth the following open letter:



REV. A. McLEOD, D. D.,
Greenleaf, Mich., April 14, 1904.
Duffy Malt Whiskey Co.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your note, in which you inform me of the postal card you received from a minister stating that I am not a minister. What object could I have in telling you that I am a minister and allowing you to publish my name as such, if I were not? If you have any doubts in the matter, I think there is a United Presbyterian Church in your city, and I suggest that you call upon the minister and he will show you that I am a minister and a member of the Detroit Presbytery. I believe that I am the oldest member, too.

If there is still doubt in the matter, I would refer you to Rev. Luther McCampbell, of Albion, Mich., and ask him if I am a minister. Again, write to the Clerk of Presbytery, Rev. Maxwell, of Birmingham, Mich., of the United Presbyterian Church of North America. I was graduated at Knox College, Toronto, Ont. I was licensed by the Presbytery of Lindsay, Ontario, and ordained by the Presbytery of Chatham, Ontario. After you satisfy yourself in regard to this matter, I would like to have you ask the minister how he arrived at his conclusion; also ask him to prove his assertion that I am not a minister. I would like to know his name and address, and I will take the matter up with him. I have been living here for twenty-one years, serving God. You can easily find out my position. Rev. Archibald Leitch is the ruling elder, and you may ask him. His postoffice address is Greenleaf, Mich. Write the bankers in Cass City, Mich. Mr. Anton or Mr. Penny, and they will tell you whether I am a minister or not.

I hope you will let me know this preacher's name when you satisfy yourselves that I am a minister, as I am anxious to find out who he is.

As I told you in my former letter, I have derived great benefit from Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which I have taken as a medicine, and which I understand is always sold as a medicine. I am not ashamed to say that your medicine cured me, and though I am a strict temperance man, I do not hesitate to recommend it.

Yours respectfully,

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ory, having contracted the fever during his experimentation. For a few months his name was almost a household word, but later it became less familiar because no steps had been taken to adequately recognize his discovery and benefaction to the Cuban. The movement now is a deserved tribute. Major Reed ought to have a lasting monument in Washington, and it would be a fitting tribute also if the Cuban, the health of whose island republic is due largely to his work, were to erect in Havana a suitable memorial to the achievement of this modest Virginian—Baltimore Sun.

VIRGINIANS IN CONGRESS

Our Delegation in the House Did Much Valuable Work for Their Constituents.

EIGHT HARD WORKERS

Messrs. Lamb, Flood and Swanson Put in Some Valuable Strokes.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 30.—The members of the Virginia delegation in Congress have not much legislation to be proud of at the end of the congressional session, but it is not to be expected that eight Democrats can accomplish much in the House, especially when there are no other eight members of the House who have been more active in their efforts in behalf of their constituents, and none have tried harder to secure legislation in their behalf. If the constituents of these gentlemen do not send them back to Congress it should be because the representatives have not endeavored to benefit them by legislation. The voter at home, unfamiliar with the method of transacting business in Congress, cannot begin to realize the difficulties in the way of a Democratic congressman when he undertakes to accomplish anything for his constituents. The House always divides on party lines. This is so nearly absolutely true that the exceptions are unimportant. Every committee, to which all matters of legislation are referred, is presided over by a Republican, and the majority of the members are Republicans. As Republicans are in control of the committees and Republicans in control of the House, bills which are not satisfactory to the Republicans of the committee or of the House are seldom heard of. Bills which are absolutely non-partisan in character, but which have Democrats for their patrons, have not much show to get out of committee, for the reason that, if beneficial, the majority party wants the credit for it, and if not, they do not want it. A Republican and not a Democrat for their enactment into law.

WORK OF MR. JONES.
Representative Jones, of the First District, introduced a large number of bills at this session and followed them into many committee rooms, but he was not able to secure the passage of many of them. Nearly all the legislation he sought was of a peculiarly local character, referring to the establishment of light-houses, custom house matters and other local matters. The failure of Congress to pass a general river and harbor bill at the recent session prevented Mr. Jones getting the improvements for the waterways of his district that his people want and that are greatly needed. But he is on the lookout for the next session, when there is to be a general bill for the improvement of the waterways of the country, and those of the First District are pretty certain to get a good share of the money appropriated for such improvements.

WORK OF MR. MAYNARD.
Representative Maynard, of the Second District, made a strenuous effort to pave the way for great improvements for Norfolk harbor by having Congress order that a survey be made for the purpose of ascertaining the extent of the thirty-foot channel and also of a thirty-five-foot channel from Hampton Roads to the Norfolk navy yard. Senator Martin got through the Senate a provision for these surveys, but they failed in the House, as did several other amendments to the emergency river and harbor bill passed by the House, amended in the Senate, and then so changed in conference that it resumed practically its original form. But Mr. Maynard devoted himself chiefly to securing an appropriation of three million dollars for the Jamestown Exposition. He was never very hopeful of securing such legislation at the recent session, but his work has made it practically certain that early in the next session a liberal appropriation will be made.

LAMB'S VICTORY.
Captain John Lamb, of the Third District, achieved a distinct victory for his constituents and for himself when he succeeded in having the Committee on War Claims report favorably the bill which claims for him making appropriations of nearly a hundred thousand dollars to Virginia claimants alone, for the use or damage of property by soldiers of the United States government after the close of the war. Of course, Captain Lamb does not claim that he did all the work which got the bill out of the committee, but his colleagues are ready to admit that it was largely owing to his strenuous efforts that it was reported and passed by the House. It is reported in the Senate, for the reason that the Finance Committee would not report it, but it is assured that it will be acted on next year, and that many more claims will be successful in getting through a number of relief and pension bills, and his work as senior Democratic member of the Committee on Agriculture was very valuable in securing increased appropriations for the agricultural experiment stations, which will be of benefit to the station maintained in connection with the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Captain Lamb is very popular with Republicans, especially with the G. A. R. men, who evidence a strong liking for the old Confederate cavalryman, and want to oblige him when they can, even at the expense of a little of their partisan allegiance. Captain Lamb's popularity extends to the departments also, where he is as well known as almost any other member of the House, and where, by the way, he has about as many appointments to his credit as has any other Democratic member.

BOB'S FIRST TERM.
Representative Southall, who is serving his first term, has not had much opportunity to show what he can do in Congress. A new member is a very small cog in the machinery of government, and when that new man is a Democrat in a Republican House, he is a little of a cipher. But Mr. Southall is catching on, and he says the people of his district are going to send him back.

SWANSON A WORKER.
Representative Swanson, the busy bee of the House, is one moment he is seated at his desk listening to the debate. In a minute he is on the other side of the House urging a Republican bill, and a moment later he is in the cloak room, impressing his views on a colleague who cannot look at a pending bill as Swanson does. Mr. Swanson is one of the hardest-working men in the House. There is nothing which may affect his district and the State of Virginia generally too small to receive his closest attention, and he gives his hardest work. And within the next ten minutes he may be at the north end of the Capitol, urging Senator Martin or Senator Daniel to help along a measure before the Senate, in which he was interested when it was up in the House. It is said that Mr. Swanson will come to Congress from the Fifth Virginia District as long as he chooses, which is not surprising, but he is determined to become Governor of Virginia. Sunny-tempered, always ready to laugh or to

listen to a good story, there is one way in which the life of the nervous Fifth District representative may be described. Just say to him that it is rumored that he is about to announce his withdrawal from the race for the gubernatorial nomination. That is a never-failing way of making Mr. Swanson reveal his ability to get mad. "I had rather be defeated twice than stay whipped after being beaten once" is a favorite expression. Mr. Swanson is an exceedingly valuable member of Congress. It is a matter of wide influence on the Democratic side, and he has much to show for his work in past years, though he has not obtained much legislation in this Congress.

MR. GLASS IN THE HOUSE.
Representative Glass, who is next to the newest Democratic member of the Virginia delegation, did not take part in the deliberations of the House to the extent of making a speech in support of the bill to amend the act of March 3, 1879, relative to the people of the Sixth District, and worked hard, with varying success, to have them enacted. But the matter of "department work" looking after the affairs in which his constituents were interested pending in executive departments, Mr. Glass was especially successful. He is a great believer in the value of rural free delivery routes to the people of the country, and he has gotten the Sixth District well griddoned with them. It is predicted of Mr. Glass that when the "newness" wears off and he feels more at home in the hall of the House, he will take a prominent place on the Democratic side.

MR. HAY'S VALUABLE SERVICE.
Mr. Hay, of the Seventh District, is one of the most prominent men on the Democratic side. I alluded to the fact yesterday that he had been called to the House at the recent session. It reaches the House only and stays late. If there were to be a Democratic majority in the next House of Representatives, he would be a valuable member. He is a great believer in the value of rural free delivery routes to the people of the country, and he has gotten the Seventh District well griddoned with them. It is predicted of Mr. Hay that when the "newness" wears off and he feels more at home in the hall of the House, he will take a prominent place on the Democratic side.

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Baker's Chocolate, per cake 15c
Quart Jar Apple Butter, Jelly and Syrup, 10c
Good Brooms, two-string, 10c
Good Five-String Brooms, 20c
Old Sardines, per box 4c
Preserves, home-made, put up in five-pound pails, 30c
Lima Beans, California, four pounds for, 25c
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Quart Cans Karamel Syrup 8c
Whitewash Brushes 10c
Tea Dust, 18c
Good Corn Whiskey, \$2.00
Duffy's Malt Whiskey, per bottle 80c
Vinegar, pure Cider, per gallon 20c
Rice, whole grain, Carolina, per pound 6c
Quart Jars of Home-Made Sweet Pickles, 10c
Hams, Small California, best quality, per pound 9c
German Mustard, 10c
Mason Jars, 15c
Good Iro Whiskey, \$1.50
New N. C. Herring, clipped three dozen for 25c, or \$4 per barrel; one-half barrel, \$2.50
Silver King Flour, the market, per barrel, \$5.50, or, per bushel, 35c
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The servant who stole the jewelry was arrested soon after the theft, but neither the rings nor the bracelet could be found. A few days ago a business man brought them from a man he did not know and believing that they had been stolen, gave them to the police.

"We never expected to recover the jewelry," said George Debols to-night. "The rings are what are known as 'mourning rings,' a variety of jewelry much worn here many years ago. A son at the death of his father wore one of these rings, inscribed with the date of the death and containing a lock of his parent's hair."

Master Charles L. Steel, Jr., entertained the young folks of Henry Clay Inn, Ashland, at supper during the past week, the occasion being his thirteenth birthday.

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